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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
DIETER BARFURTH, ET AL. : EXAMINER: ZIMMER, MARC S.
SERIAL NO: 10/524,689 :
FILED: JANUARY 12, 2006 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1796
FOR: COMPOSITION ACTING AS :
COUPLING AGENT FOR FILLED AND
PEROXIDICALLY CROSSLINKING
RUBBER COMPOUNDS

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 21, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.